## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Beom-jun Jin

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Examiner: Mohammad Timor Karimy

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INTEGRATED CIRCUIT DEVICES INCLUDING LOW DIELECTRIC

SIDEWALL SPACERS AND METHODS OF FORMING SAME

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## AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Sir:

Applicant provides the present Amendment and Response to address the issues raised in the Office Action dated October 9, 2007. Applicant respectfully requests allowance of the application.

It is not believed that an extension of time and/or additional fee(s), including fees for additional claims, are required, beyond those that may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. In the event, however, that an extension of time is necessary to allow consideration of this paper, such an extension is hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a). Any additional fees believed to be due in connection with this paper may be charged to our Deposit Account No. 50-0220.

Amendments to the Claims are provided in a Listing of Claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.